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REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 November 16, 2004

Sir:

The undersigned notes the enclosed Patent Application Information Retrieval (PAIR) information in connection with the above-identified application, indicating that the above-identified application has been allowed but that the Notice of Allowance has not yet been mailed, the status date for this information being May 3, 2004. The enclosed PAIR information is the search results as of even date.

Note that while the file history set forth in the PAIR information indicates Information Disclosure Statements respectively being filed July 9, 2004 and October 19, 2004, there have been no responses thereto by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

In view of all of the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that the Notice Of Allowance be issued forthwith in connection with the above-identified application, after any necessary and appropriate consideration of documents in document submissions of July 9, 2004, October 19, 2004 and on even date.

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Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure, enclosed please find a copy of an Office Action in connection with a corresponding Chinese patent application, and a copy of the document cited therein. Please note that this document cited in the enclosed Office Action, Japanese Patent Document No. 8-3529, has already been considered by the Examiner in the above-identified application, as indicated in the "Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant" initialed by the Examiner and returned to Applicants with the Office Action mailed July 28, 2003, in the above-identified application. Also enclosed is a Form PTO/SB/08A, listing the enclosed documents.

Consideration of the enclosed documents to the extent necessary and appropriate, is respectfully requested.

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